

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2135

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
ALEX J. DRAUGHON ET AL. ) Examiner: Ponnoreay Pich  
Application No.: 10/601,468 ) Group Art Unit: 2135  
Filed: June 23, 2003 ) Confirmation No.: 7233  
For: SECURE MESSAGING CENTER ) November 20, 2007

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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 20, 2007, for one month, from October 20, 2007 to November 20, 2007. The required fee of \$120.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is being paid electronically. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

In response to the Office Action dated July 20, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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